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Election of 20 members of the Governing Council of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme

Note by the Secretary-General

1. Pursuant to General Assembly resolution 56/206, the Economic and Social Council is to elect, at its resumed organizational session for 2010, 20 members of the Governing Council of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme for a four-year term beginning on 1 January 2011 to fill the vacancies that will occur on 31 December 2010 upon the expiration of the terms of the following members: Argentina, Burundi, Chile, Equatorial Guinea, Finland, Grenada, Indonesia, Iran (Islamic Republic of), Italy, Japan, Mauritania, Netherlands, Niger, Pakistan, Poland, Russian Federation, Senegal, United States of America, Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of) and Zimbabwe.

2. In accordance with paragraph 4 of section I.A of General Assembly resolution 56/206, the 20 members are to be elected according to the following pattern:

(a) Six seats for African States;

(b) Four seats for Asian States;

(c) Two seats for Eastern European States;

(d) Four seats for Latin American and Caribbean States;

(e) Four seats for Western European and other States.

3. The membership of the Governing Council in 2010 is listed in the annex to the present note.

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Annex

Governing Council of the United Nations Human Settlements Programme

(58 members; four-year term)

Membership in 2010

Sixteen seats for African States

Burkina Faso (2011), Burundi* (2010), Congo (2011), Côte d'Ivoire (2012), Equatorial Guinea* (2010), Ethiopia (2012), Kenya (2011), Mauritania* (2010), Niger* (2010), Rwanda (2012), Senegal* (2010), Sudan (2012), Swaziland (2011), Tunisia (2012), Zambia (2011), Zimbabwe* (2010)

Thirteen seats for Asian States

Afghanistan (2012), Bahrain (2011), Bangladesh (2012), China (2012), India (2011), Indonesia* (2010), Iran (Islamic Republic of)* (2010), Iraq (2011), Japan* (2010), Pakistan* (2010), Republic of Korea (2012), Saudi Arabia (2011), Sri Lanka (2011)

Six seats for Eastern European States

Armenia (2012), Czech Republic (2012), Poland* (2010), Romania (2011), Russian Federation* (2010), Serbia (2011)

Ten seats for Latin American and Caribbean States

Antigua and Barbuda (2012), Argentina* (2010), Brazil (2011), Chile* (2010), Cuba (2012), Grenada* (2010), Guatemala (2012), Honduras (2011), Jamaica (2011), Venezuela (Bolivarian Republic of)* (2010)

Thirteen seats for Western European and other States[a]

Finland* (2010), France (2012), Germany (2011), Israel (2011), Italy* (2010), Netherlands* (2010), Norway (2012), Spain (2012), United States of America* (2010)

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* Retiring member.

[a] There are four vacancies in this group: two for members whose term would begin on the date of election and expire on 31 December 2011 and two for members whose term would begin on the date of election and expire on 31 December 2012 (see Council decision 2009/201 F).